## **Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education**

|        | ee: P116<br>t: [Year] Annual Report               |
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| 1.     | PR/Award No.:                                     |
| 2.     | Program:  |
| 3.     | Institutional Name & Address:                     |
| 4.     | Project Title:                                    |
| 5.     | US Project Director / Contact Person:             |
|        | Name:   |
|        | Title:  |
|        | Address:  |
|        | Phone:  |
|        | Fax:  |
|        | Email:  |
| 6.     | Performance Reporting Period: FY                  |
|        | Current Budget Period: Authorized Representative: |
|        | Name:   |
|        | Title:  |
|        | Phone:  |
|        | oject Description<br>t Title:                     |
| Abstra | ect:  |
| Online | References:                                       |
| Subjec | et Categories:                                    |
| Contac |   |
|        | Directors   |

## II. Budget

Project Funds Awarded by FIPSE

|   | (1)Current<br>Budget (2)Expenditures  | (3)Obligations<br>& Projected<br>Expenditures | (4)Estimated<br>Balance |
|---|---|---|-------------------------|
| A. Administrative Costs 1. Salaries   |   |   | \$0                     |
| 2. Benefits   |   |   | \$0                     |
| 3. Travel   |   |   | \$0                     |
| 4. Equipment  |   |   | \$0                     |
| 5. Materials  |   |   | \$0                     |
| 6. Consultants & Contracts  |   |   | \$0                     |
| 7. Other  |   |   | \$0                     |
| B. Language Stipends (EC-US, US-Brazil projects only) C. Mobility Stipends (EC-US, US-Brazil, North American projects only) |   |   | \$0<br>\$0              |
| D. Indirect Costs   |   |   | \$0                     |
| Total Project Cost Share Totals Provid  | \$0 \$0  ed by Institution (and Partners if  (1)Current  Budget (2)Expenditures | (3)Obligations<br>& Projected                 | \$0  (4)Estimated       |

Total Cost Share \$0

## **Budget Narrative:**

## III. Performance Information

| 1a         | Did you include a separate evaluation report for this project year? (Note: first year projects should attach evaluation plan)            |
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|            | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| 1b         | If you answered "No", please explain when you expect to submit this document.  |
| 2a         | Was there a change in the project director this year?  |
|            | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| <b>2</b> b | If you answered "Yes" to question 2a, please write in the name and phone number of the new project director.                             |
| 3a         | Is one of the stated objectives of your project to increase access to an institution, program, field, or discipline?                     |
|            | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| 3b         | Whether it is a stated objective or not, has your project resulted in increased access to an institution, program, field, or discipline? |
|            | <ul> <li>( ) Yes</li> <li>( ) No</li> <li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li> <li>( ) Not sure</li> </ul>                     |
| If yo      | ou answered "No" to question 3b, please go to question 4a.   |
| 3c         | Has increased access to an institution, program, field, or discipline become a sustained activity at the end of the grant?               |
|            | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |

|            | <ul><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul>  |
|------------|---|
| <b>4</b> a | Is one of the stated objectives of your project to increase student retention in an institution, program, field, or discipline?                     |
|            | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No   |
| 4b         | Whether it is a stated objective or not, has your project resulted in increased student retention in an institution, program, field, or discipline? |
|            | <ul> <li>( ) Yes</li> <li>( ) No</li> <li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li> <li>( ) Not sure</li> </ul>                                |
| If y       | ou answered "No" to question 4b, please go to question 5a.  |
| 4c         | Has increased student retention in an institution, program, field, or discipline become a sustained activity at the end of the grant?               |
|            | <ul><li>( ) Yes</li><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul>                                     |
| 5a         | Is one of the stated objectives of your project to control costs of, or produce cost savings in, higher education?                                  |
|            | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No   |
| 5b         | Whether it is a stated objective or not, has your project resulted in cost control or cost savings in any way?                                      |
|            | <ul><li>( ) Yes</li><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul>                                     |
|            |   |

If you answered "No" to question 5b, please go to question 6a.

5c Please provide examples of the cost control or cost savings brought about by your project:

| 5d    | Has cost control or cost savings become a sustained activity at the end of the grant?                                    |
|-------|--|
|       | <ul><li>( ) Yes</li><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul>          |
| 6a    | Is one of the stated objectives of your project to train faculty or staff?   |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| 6b    | Whether it is a stated objective or not, has your project trained faculty or staff?                                      |
|       | ( ) Yes  |
|       | <ul><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul>                          |
| If yo | ou answered "No" to question 6b, please go to question 7a.   |
| 6c    | If you answered "Yes" to question 6b, has faculty or staff training become a sustained activity at the end of the grant? |
|       | ( ) Yes  |
|       | <ul><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li></ul>   |
|       | ( ) Not sure   |
| 7a    | Is one of the stated objectives of your project to improve student learning?   |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| 7b    | Whether it is a stated objective or not, has your project improved student learning?                                     |
|       | () Yes   |
|       | ( ) No ( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)   |
|       | ( ) Not sure   |

If you answered "No" to question 7b, please go to question 8a.

| 7c    | Briefly explain how your project improved student learning and how you measured this improvement:               |
|-------|---|
| 7d    | Have the activities in your project that improve student learning become sustained at the end of the grant?     |
|       | <ul><li>( ) Yes</li><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul> |
| 8a    | Has your project involved the implementation of an innovative practice in postsecondary education?              |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No   |
| If yo | ou answered "No" to question 8a, please go to question 9.   |
| 8b    | Briefly describe the innovation:  |
|       |   |
| 8c    | Will this innovative practice be sustained at the end of the grant?   |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No   |
|       | <ul><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul>                                |
| 8d    | Have any other institutions or organizations expressed interest in using this innovative practice?              |
|       | <ul><li>( ) Yes</li><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li><li>( ) Not sure</li></ul> |
| If yo | ou answered "No" to question 8d, please go to question 9.   |
| 8e    | How many institutions expressed interest in using this innovative practice since the beginning of the grant?    |
|       | Total: _  |

| 8f    | Has the innovation been used at a site (campus or organization) other than at the grantee organization?            |
|-------|--|
|       | <ul><li>( ) Yes</li><li>( ) No</li><li>( ) Too soon to say (annual reports only)</li></ul>                         |
|       | ( ) Not sure   |
| If yo | u answered "No" to question 8f, please go to question 9.   |
| 8g    | How many institutions or organizations have used this innovation since the beginning of the grant?                 |
|       | Total: _   |
| 9     | How many institutions or organizations were involved at the beginning of the project, including the grantee?       |
|       | Total:   |
| 10a   | Have any additional institutions or organizations become involved in the project since the beginning of the grant? |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| If yo | u answered "No" to question 10a, please go to question 11a.  |
| 10b   | How many additional institutions have become involved in the project since the beginning of the grant?             |
|       | Additional number: _   |
| 11a   | Have any institutions or organizations expressed interest in materials or other results of the project?            |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| If yo | ou answered "No" to question 11a, please go to question 12.  |
| 11b   | How many institutions or organizations expressed interest in materials or other results of the project?            |
|       | Total:   |

| 12    | Did your project receive or involve any of the following since the beginning of the grant? (check all that apply)   |
|-------|---|
|       | <ul> <li>( ) On-going costs included in operating budget</li> <li>( ) New courses officially approved (but not yet described in catalog)</li> <li>( ) New programs officially approved (but not yet described in catalog)</li> <li>( ) New courses described in institutional catalog</li> <li>( ) New programs described in institutional catalog</li> <li>( ) Changes in curriculum</li> <li>( ) Changes in the approaches to teaching</li> <li>( ) Changes in written institutional policies or procedures</li> <li>( ) New courses offered for credit</li> <li>( ) Additional faculty FTE added to operating budget through non-FIPSE funds</li> <li>( ) Additional staff FTE added to operating budget through non-FIPSE funds</li> <li>( ) Not applicable</li> <li>( ) Other (Please write in other)</li> </ul> |
| 13a   | Has your project received any additional funding (external or internal) since the beginning of the project?   |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No   |
| If yo | ou answered "No" to question 13a, please go to question 14a.  |
| 13b   | What kind of additional funding has it received? (check all that apply)   |
|       | <ul> <li>( ) Additional in-kind contribution</li> <li>( ) Additional institutional funding</li> <li>( ) Additional federal funding</li> <li>( ) Additional state funding</li> <li>( ) Additional funding from for-profit firm</li> <li>( ) Additional funding from private foundation</li> <li>( ) Other (Please write in other)</li> </ul>   |
| 14a   | Has your project received any press coverage since the beginning of the project?  |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No   |
| If yo | ou answered "No" to question 14a, please go to question 15a.  |
| 14b   | Please indicate the kind of press coverage your project has received. (check all that apply)  |
|       | <ul><li>( ) International media coverage</li><li>( ) National media coverage</li><li>( ) Local media coverage</li></ul>   |

|       | <ul> <li>( ) Institutional/organizational publication</li> <li>( ) National association or trade association publication</li> <li>( ) Other</li> </ul>   |
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| 15a   | Has your project won any awards since the beginning of the grant?  |
|       | ( ) Yes<br>( ) No  |
| If yo | ou answered "No" to question 15a, please go to question 16.  |
| 15b   | Please write in the name, date, source, and, if applicable, the amount of each award.  |
| 16    | Please list the kinds of activities, products, and resources resulting from your project since the beginning of the grant. (Check all that apply)  |
|       | ( ) Project-based conferences or symposia ( ) Course modules ( ) Project-specific Web site ( ) Textbooks ( ) Software programs ( ) Conference proceedings ( ) Books ( ) Video materials ( ) Guides and handbooks ( ) Printed course materials ( ) Web-based course materials ( ) Technical reports ( ) Journal articles ( ) CD-ROMs/DVDs ( ) Other (Please write in other) |
| 17    | Please rate the quality of FIPSE's service to you and other project staff. (telephone discussions, e mails, advising on technical and financial issues, evaluation, Web resources)   |
|       | <ul> <li>( ) Superior</li> <li>( ) Very satisfactory</li> <li>( ) About average</li> <li>( ) Somewhat unsatisfactory</li> <li>( ) Very poor</li> </ul>   |
| 18    | Please rate your satisfaction with the FIPSE Project Directors' Meeting in helping you and your staff. (Check all that apply)  |

| ( ) Superior                      |    |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| ( ) Very satisfactory             |    |
| ( ) About average                 |    |
| ( ) Somewhat unsatisfactory       |    |
| ( ) Very poor                     |    |
| ( ) Was unable to attend this yea | ır |

19 Please comment on the helpfulness of FIPSE's service.

IV. Report Files (Project Narrative, Evaluation Information, and other documents)